Mountain Weather Forecast

Brecon Beacons National Park

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Wednesday 15 Feb 2023 until 23:59 on Thursday 16 Feb 2023

Forecast Issued on Tuesday 14 Feb 2023 at 15:08

Confidence: High for a period of more unsettled conditions over the next few days with cloud and rain at times. Low for developments over the weekend.

Headline for Wednesday 15 Feb 2023: A dry start and end to the day but some rain in the middle. Windy on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 15 Feb 2023

Blizzards No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent snow** No Likelihood	**Storm force winds** No Likelihood
Gales No Likelihood	**Severe chill effect** No Likelihood	**Poor visibility** Low Likelihood
Thunderstorms No Likelihood	**Heavy persistent rain** No Likelihood	**Strong sunlight** No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Clear night	Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy	Heavy Rain	Cloudy	Partly cloudy (night)	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
<05%	<05%	<05%	20%	80%	30%	20%	30%

Forecast for Wednesday 15 Feb 2023

Weather: Dry with clear spells overnight then a dry and bright start to the day. Cloud and outbreaks of rain will spread in from the west in the morning before clearing around early to mid-afternoon. A few bright intervals to end the afternoon then clouding over again during the evening with outbreaks of rain arriving from the west around midnight.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: 95% overnight lowering to 20% for a few hours then improving to 70% during the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Good at first but becoming poor at times in rain with persistent cloud and fog developing above 500 or 600m. Visibility generally improving in the afternoon but patchy cloud will continue to affect some tops, mainly in the west.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	19/25 S	20/25 S	18/23 S	19/25 S	18/25 SW	14/20 W	14/20 SW	17/24 SW	22/30 SW
300	10/22 S	8/18 S	9/19 S	11/23 S	11/22 SW	10/19 W	8/18 SW	9/20 SW	12/25 SW
Valley	3/10 S	3/7 SE	4/10 SE	7/19 S	9/21 SW	9/18 W	7/18 SW	8/19 SW	10/23 SW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	5/-0	4/-1	5/-0	5/-0	6/1	5/1	4/-1	4/-1	4/-2
300	6/3	5/2	5/2	7/4	8/5	8/6	6/3	6/3	6/2
Valley	4/3	3/2	4/2	7/5	8/6	9/6	6/4	6/4	7/4
Freezing Level*	1300m	1300m	1700m	1800m	1800m	1200m	1000m	1000m	1500m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

A windy morning on the tops with gusts of 35 to 45mph on high summits and ridges above 600m.

Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m

Recorded at	Last 24 hours:	Last 48 hours:	Last 72 hours:
15:00 on Tue 14 Feb 2023	0mm	0mm	0mm

Forecast for Thursday 16 Feb 2023

Weather: Cloudy and misty with outbreaks of mostly light rain or drizzle. Becoming mainly dry from late afternoon to early evening before more persistent rain arrives from the west later.

Maximum wind: Southerly 25-35mph gusts 45mph overnight, decreasing to West or Southwest 15-20mph gusts 30mph during the morning.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m: Less than 10%, becoming 30% for a time late afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Extensive cloud and fog from low slopes upwards giving difficult navigation conditions and rather hazy below the cloud. Cloud perhaps lifting and breaking slightly late afternoon to early evening.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 7C rising to 10 or 11C.
At 600m: Plus 5 or 6C.
Freezing level: Above summits.

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